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Watching the Game

Your friends are watching your game; and so are a lot of other people who don't know you.

They're judging you somewhat by the clothes you wear. You'll find our Hart, Schaffner & Marx clothes the kind you want to be judged by.

Better look at them, all-wool, all right.

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The good one now. We have the stylish, smooth hats in several different prices.



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Hickman Won Again.

Hickman's fast amateur baseball team added another victory Saturday when a team from Union City was taken into camp to the tune of 10 to 4.

The game was arranged on short notice and was not advertised, consequently the attendance was far below the average. But the game put up by the home boys was of a high quality, and when the lovers of the sport find out that the boys are delivering the goods the games will be better attended.

Richards was on the firing line for Hickman and he kept the hits well scattered. Errors were responsible for the score running up as high as it did.

The lineup of the teams is as follows:

Hickman: Hamby, Pickett, Roper, Manuel, Williams, Kirk, Naylor, Richards, Holcombe.

Union City: Callahan, Webster, Johnson, Plaze, Andrews, Griffin, Farmer, Milliken, Puryear.

CURES ECZEMA, ITCHING HUMORS, PIMPLES, CARBUNCLES.—COSTS NOTHING TO TRY.

B. R. K. (Branche Blood) is a certain and sure cure for eczema, itching skin, skin eruptions, scaly skin, dandruff, itching humors, joints, leish, carbuncles, pricking pimples, etc. It is a certain cure, therefore, for all these troubles, by applying it to the skin, it will purify and vitalize the blood, thereby giving a healthy skin supply to the skin. It is a certain and sure cure for eczema, itching skin, skin eruptions, scaly skin, dandruff, itching humors, joints, leish, carbuncles, pricking pimples, etc. It is a certain cure, therefore, for all these troubles, by applying it to the skin, it will purify and vitalize the blood, thereby giving a healthy skin supply to the skin.

Here and There

Somebody planning a great celebration for the year 1915.

Somebody in the Railroad Commission's train got eight votes for the 15th inst. They were all from the same county and represented the same strength in the election. The bad.

A former Fulton County, Ky., was born in Fulton, Ky. He was brought to this county for internment.

Four prisoners broke jail at Kennerly, Mo., on the 15th inst. They were a pair of steel saw and dug their way out of the wall, escaping through a ramrodder.

A ladies brass band was organized at Charleston last week.

Secretary Dunlap has refused to change his orders for labeling the pure food law. It has been invited the objectors to the change to test the law in the superior court.

The great sulphur-bottom whale of the ocean is, so far as known, the largest animal that ever lived on planet. One specimen, killed in 1856, was 91 feet in length and weighed 294,000 pounds.

"Hill the White Too Many" made a break line in the Buffalo Express. That's the predicament of a good many men, although they have no more than the law allows.

Mrs. Clarence Jones, gave birth to a baby on April 20th, that weighed only one and one-half pounds. It is said to be the smallest baby ever born in Graves county to live. Mr. Jones lives about 10 miles north of Mayfield, near Pottsville, and according to latest reports the child is alive and doing well.

Saturday, June 1, is Traders Day in Hickman. Bring your horses in.

Robert Harbison, of Greenville, Muhlenberg county, has been nominated as the Democratic candidate for State Senator in the district composed of Muhlenberg, Ohio and Butler counties. The nomination was made by the District Committee, Mr. Harbison being the only candidate.

F. B. McCown, president of the Christian County Union of the American Society of Equity, is the latest victim of the night riders. His large plant bed on his farm near Kirksmansville was destroyed. Tracks about the bed indicate that the perpetrators of the outrage were two men, one of whom rode a horse and the other a mule. There is no clue to the identity of the marauders.

Murfreesboro, Tenn., has caught the anti-jug fever and the city council has passed an ordinance prohibiting the shipment into Murfreesboro, the sale of, inside of the city or the bringing into the city limits for another, of any intoxicating liquors, excepting when bought outside of Tennessee in pint packages, the same to be received at the express office.

In the Hickman Circuit Court at Clinton, the case of the Commonwealth vs. Dr. J. D. Williams, charged with murder of Vaughn M. Moore, of Amory, Miss., was begun last week. A number of witnesses, including the widow and children of the victim were present. A Mr. Nail, an eye witness to the tragedy was the first witness introduced. He testified substantially that Dr. Williams and Moore, who were stepbrothers, had gone to Clinton to attend the bedside of their parents who were very sick. While Moore was sitting on the porch talking to witness, Dr. Williams came out of the house and as he passed down the steps, turned and fired two bullets into Moore, killing him instantly.

The case of O. Dirks, of Union City, against the N. C. & St. L. Ry., was tried in the Gibson Circuit Court and the plaintiff given judgment for \$8500. His saw mill was destroyed by fire, caused from sparks from a passing train. The case was appealed to the State Court of Appeals, and the verdict affirmed.

No More Street Fairs.

Last week a Carnival company endeavored to get a license to show at New Madrid, but the officials of that town had experienced the ill effects of such things and no more street fairs will be tolerated. It is the opinion of the police that the men that committed the burglaries last week were connected in some manner with the street fair company here at that time. The rainy weather caused poor business, it is said and no doubt the hangers on were driven to desperation. The one hundred dollars that the city received as a license does not near pay the cost of the moral damage done. Legitimate amusement should be encouraged but street fair outlets these times should be barred completely—Cape Girardeau Republican.

Sikeston gets \$150 we understand, from the carnival company which is here this week, but we have always contended that a street fair should not be allowed in any town. The damage done in the way of corrupting morals and the drunkenness, rowdiness, and fights, to say nothing of the money that people claim they usually lose in being shortchanged at such places is ten times than the paltry dollar consideration. It sets a bad example before young men and women—Sikeston Herald.

We voice the sentiments of the above gentlemen.

Hargis Found Not Guilty.

Judge Jas. Hargis, of Breathitt County, was found not guilty by the jury, in Lexington, last week, after being out only thirty minutes. This is the second trial he has had for assassination, and will be tried in the near future for another. The verdict above mentioned was on a charge of killing James Cockrell last July.

Chas. Payne, claim agent for the Illinois Central Railroad, with headquarters at Fulton, was painfully hurt last week. He had been to Wingo attending to some business, and was walking from that place to Pryorsburg, the next station, when a gravel train passed him. He stepped aside to let the train pass and while waiting for it to pass a piece of stone fell from one of the cars, striking him in the face. His face was bruised considerably and one or two teeth knocked out.

Need an ice box? See Cotton & Adams before you buy.

County Union Meeting.

All local unions of Fulton County are hereby called to meet in local union at once and elect delegates to the County Union which meets at Cayce, on the Mobile & Ohio Railroad Saturday, June 1st. The basis of representation is one delegate for every ten members and majority fraction of ten; also one delegate at large. The public is invited to attend. Homer L. Higgs, editor of the Progressive Farmer of Tennessee, will speak before noon. He is an able speaker and every one should hear him.

Lee Holder Must Hang.

Lee Holder, who has been on trial at Union City for some time, charged with the murder of his father, a minister near Rives, Tenn., was last week found guilty by the jury and sentenced to hang. Some time last year his father was missing, and upon investigation was found dead, having been shot, and his brains beaten out with a stick or club.

Young Holder was in trouble not a great while previous to this, having insulted a young lady, and when accused by her brother, shot him.

The Sovereign Camp, Woodmen of the World, in biennial convention at Norfolk, Va., last week, decided that barkeepers and bartenders, stone crushers and miners of all kinds are not eligible to membership in the order, and the camp is considering the eligibility of other men whose occupations are dangerous.

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Friday Night

--At 7:30--

JUNE VICTOR RECORDS--
Will be played for the first time.
Everybody invited.
Dry Goods Room.

JUNE EDISON RECORDS--
Will be played for the first time.
Grocery Room.

SATURDAY NEXT AT 12:30
And 3 p. m. Everybody invited.

A small payment down and a little every week
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Court House News

Continued For Our Dear Readers

The following are the land transfers that have been made since our last report:

J. O. Barnes to W. A. Dodds, town lot in Hickman, \$1300.
R. T. Tyler to W. A. Dodds, town lot in Hickman, \$400.
H. C. Ligon to W. A. Brewer, land, \$2900.
E. D. Pickering to W. A. Brewer, land, \$1500.
J. C. Roper to Walter Statham, land, \$950.
C. G. Schlenker to W. C. Johnson, town lot in Hickman, \$315.
H. C. Amberg to Oona Shaw, town lot in Hickman, \$360.
K. B. Shaw to W. P. Adams, town lot in Hickman, \$750.
J. M. Honeycutt to Miss Nettie Pogue, land, \$5,882.50.
J. B. Dodd to Chas. Beadles, land, \$2000.
R. L. Campbell to O. F. Hammond, land, \$500.
E. D. Wallace to O. F. Hammond, town lot in Jordan, \$500.
O. F. Hammond to R. D. Campbell, town lot in Jordan, \$750.
Connie Giddell to Hile Gray, land, \$100.
B. T. Davis to Fred Hayden, land, \$1500.
J. P. Swane to Chas. E. Mackey, town lot in Fulton, \$800.
W. H. Spradlin to D. A. and Allie A. Kenney, town lot in Fulton, \$85.
T. D. Bryan to L. J. Smith, town lot in Fulton, \$750.

The following marriage license have been issued:
—Johnson to Lucy Stenson. They were married May 21.
Sude M. Naifeh to Miss Pearl King. Married May 27.

The following Equity Appearance cases have been filed in the office of Circuit Clerk Morris:
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The models mould to perfection the slender, medium and stout forms
with the newest figure fashions in vogue.

Straight front, long dip hips, medium and short skirt, girdle and
empire are shown in all sizes.

Fulton County School Census Report.

Herein will be found the concise school census report for the school districts of Fulton County, as furnished by Miss Dora Smith, County Superintendent:

District No. 1—Fulton	672
" 2—Blue Pond	48
" 3—Taylor	59
" 4—Palestine	37
" 5—Brown	43
" 6—Liberty	61
" 7—Edmiston	58
" 8—Rush Creek	35
" 9—Cayce	69
" 10—Rural	65
" 11—Simmons	75
" 12—Montgomery	67
" 13—Hazel Dell	32
" 14—Upper Bottom	75
" 15—Fairview	80
" 16—Hickman	598
" 17—Watson	58
" 18—Sassafras Ridge	87
" 19—Madrid Bend	123
" 20—McFadden	58
" 21—Logdion	66
" 22—Woodlawn	61
" 23—Sycamore	102
" 24—Koper	40
" 25—Stubbs	41
" 26—Graves	100
" 27—Island No. 8	48
" 28—New Hope	75
" 29—Rock Springs	43

This makes a grand total of 2966 children of school age in the county. The number of colored children is 1039. Hickman has 598 children out of the grand total of 2966, which on an average, is a little over one-fifth of the school children of the county.

Off for the Reunion.

A number of Hickman people left the first of the week for the Confederate Reunion at Richmond, Va., and the Jamestown Exposition at Norfolk. Capt. H. A. Tyler and Miss Marie Brevard left Sunday, and were joined at Martin and Paducah by a number of others who constituted a party which he is taking. They went by Louisville. Monday morning several of the old Confederates, H. Buchanan, C. A. Holcombe and A. M. DeBow went on the 7:10 train, and went by Louisville. The special train Monday morning at eleven thirty, and went to Richmond for the purpose of taking Reunion passengers, only carried one passenger from Hickman, Irvine Brevard. The special went by Nashville.

This is an immense country. Just consider what a distant country Alaska is. Point Barrow is Uncle Sam's furthest point north. A letter from the east to Point Barrow goes first by train to Seattle 2,500 miles, then by ocean steamer to Valdez 1,600 miles further north and west, then by dog sleds over ice and snow 2,700 miles more to the north and west. The letter travels in one direction 6,180 miles, all the distance in American territory.

Kentucky Fair Dates.

Stanford, July 17—3 days.
Henderson, July 23—5 days.
Lancaster, July 24—3 days.
Madisonville, July 30—5 days.
Danville, July 31—3 days.
Georgetown, Aug. 6—4 days.
Fern Creek, Aug. 13—4 days.
Lawrenceburg, Aug. 20—4 days.
Shelbysville, Aug. 27—4 days.
Ewing, Aug. 27—3 days.
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Hartinsburg, Aug. 27—3 days.
Elizabethtown, Aug. 27—3 days.
Springfield, Aug. 28—4 days.
Paris, Sept. 3—5 days.
Lexington, Sept. 23—6 days.

Democratic County Convention for Hickman.

The Democratic Committee of Fulton and Hickman Counties met in joint session in Clinton, Tuesday afternoon, to arrange for a county convention and primary to select a nominee for the legislature from this district, composed of Hickman and Fulton Counties. It was decided that a primary or precinct conventions be held at the respective voting precincts in the two counties on Saturday, August 13, to select delegates to the County Convention to be held in Hickman on the following Wednesday, September 4th, for the purpose of nominating a candidate for the legislature from this legislative district.

Two Married Men.

As advertised, the play, Two Married Men, was played at the City Hall Tuesday night, to a large and appreciative audience. This play was put on and played by local talent from Union City. A large number of Union City people came down on the 8:30 train and attended the play. The play was good and everyone enjoyed it. Both piano and band music was furnished. The band music by the Hickman band and the former by a Union City lady. The proceeds were for the benefit of the band, and a nice sum was realized.

Pointers for Graduates.

Don't be long-winded. Try to be long-headed.
Don't write like Henry James. He has the Harpers behind him, and you haven't.

Don't forecast the Republic's finish if it does not follow your advice. It will.

Don't decry immigration. It makes room for our own people who find it cheaper to live abroad.

Don't attempt a new classic. Those in the books will be just as new to your audience, and a little better done.

Don't think you've got the world right where you want it. It will get around to you when you get old enough to withstand its bumps.

Don't do the rise and fall of the Roman Empire, with the usual analogies. The Roman Empire didn't have any newspapers to point the way.

Don't knock the class poem. How would you like to have to write the class poem?

Don't try to solve our great State problems. We have men at Washington who you hand to solve them, and every time they band in the answer for nothing, you snatch the bread out of their children's mouths.

Great Discovery.

The editor of a Kansas paper states that he once borrowed a Winchester rifle and started up the street a few days after to deliver the weapon to its owner. The delinquent subscribers got it into their heads that he was on the warpath, and every one he met insisted on paying what he owed him. One man wiped out a debt of ten years' standing. On his return to his office he found a load of hay, fifteen bushels of corn, ten bushels of potatoes, a load of wood and a barrel of turkeys that had been brought in. He would like to borrow a Winchester for a day or two.

Mrs. W. D. Hutchison, of Martin, formerly of Hickman, was painfully hurt Saturday. She got off the train at Shuck's Switch, and was met there by Mrs. Ols Townsend, who took her home in a buggy. In some way, she was thrown from the buggy with the above results.

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Mac Ferguson Wins the Day.

There was weeping and wailing and gnashing of teeth at the convention held in Henderson last week for the purpose of nominating a candidate for Railroad Commissioner from the First Railroad District. There were five contestants for the nomination and the constituency for each of them worked hard and wrangled for the laurels. For two days Lawrence Finn led the game, with Mac D. Ferguson closely following. Fulton county's delegation was instructed to vote for Gardner, first, last and all the time, which they did. All kinds of combinations were attempted, and all kinds of concessions made, but to no effect until the twenty-fifth ballot, when Ferguson won out, and Dunk Gardner only getting eight votes, those of the Fulton County delegation. Ferguson is the present incumbent.

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Hickman Wins Again.

The mandamus injunction issued against the Cumberland Telephone Company in the Fulton Circuit Court, demanding that the said company open their exchange in Hickman to the public until the suits against them shall have been settled in the courts, was brought before the Circuit Court in Clinton, Hickman County, Tuesday, and tried. The result was that the Court held the injunction against the company, and they must continue to give the people service. The decision was appealed to the State Court of Appeals, and will be given a hearing in a few days. The people are sure they are right and believe that they will ultimately win.

Woodland Mills.

Mrs. L. C. Maddox is very ill of LaGrippe.

Mrs. James Moss is a visitor in our town this week.

Miss Lizzie Corlin visited Mrs. E. W. Harpole Sunday.

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College Girl	\$1.00
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Never Break	\$1.00
Dixie	75c
Violet	50c

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ELLISON BROS.
HICKMAN, KENTUCKY.

PROGRAM.

Commencement Exercises of the Senior Class of
Hickman College, at City Hall, Thursday night June 6.

1. Tableau.	Prague music and other songs.
2. Oratorical Oration.	Arthur Hall and others.
3. Tableau—"The Young Man."	Marguerite Fauch.
4. Oration—"Let's Talk."	Editha L. L. L.
5. Invocation.	Miss Mary M. M.
6. Salutatory.	Miss Mary M. M.
7. Recitation—"Paradise and Port."	Miss Mary M. M.
8. Oration.	Miss Mary M. M.
9. Recitation—"The Young Man."	Miss Mary M. M.
10. Oration—"The Young Man."	Miss Mary M. M.
11. Oration—"The Young Man."	Miss Mary M. M.
12. Oration—"The Young Man."	Miss Mary M. M.
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15. Oration—"The Young Man."	Miss Mary M. M.
16. Oration—"The Young Man."	Miss Mary M. M.
17. Oration—"The Young Man."	Miss Mary M. M.
18. Oration—"The Young Man."	Miss Mary M. M.
19. Oration—"The Young Man."	Miss Mary M. M.
20. Oration—"The Young Man."	Miss Mary M. M.

State Line.

T. C. Berry, of Memphis, was in this vicinity last week.

T. A. Prather, Jr., is attending the reunion at Richmond, Va.

David Prather is home in Louisville to spend his vacation.

Miss Peck, of Arlington, is a guest of Miss Lena Thacker last week.

Mrs. Bob Brasfield, of Bannockburn, Ky., is visiting her son, W. S. Brasfield.

A petition was circulated among the business men this week asking that they close their stores at 5 p. m. The hot summer days will soon be here and such a movement on the part of all the stores would be appreciated by the clerks. The will probably be done in the next few weeks.

Memorial Day Exercises.

Following is a program of the Memorial Day services that will be held at the city cemetery next Monday, June 3:

Opening song, Nearer My God to Thee.
Invocation, Rev. C. L. Price.
Address, Prof. B. F. Calley.
Song.
Presentation of Southern Cross of Honor, Mrs. Randle.
Decoration of graves of Confederate soldiers.
—Cavitt, on the hill wants you to trade. He buys country produce.

When you have a record of every cent you pay out (which you will have, if you pay by check) you will be more careful of your expenditures.

A checking account gives you a complete record of every cent you spend. You get a receipt for each bill paid. You have safety for your funds and convenience for your business transactions.

HICKMAN BANK
HICKMAN, KY.

The American Society of Equity, and has its headquarters at Indianapolis, has been making arrangements in all the United States and Territories for a National Convention at Indianapolis, June 7, 6 and 7 next. The purpose of the convention is to organize a permanent department of labor in the Federal Government, and to represent the many interests of millions of thousands of workers.

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Cape Cod and New England
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can be cured. He should buy a bottle of ZEMO to-day. ZEMO destroys the germ that causes the disease. Its action is instantaneous, prevents falling hair and leaves the scalp in a clean healthy condition. All Druggists.

For sale by Helen A. Millson.

Maple Company of Hickman, Mo., has cut over the last week, all the timber on the hundreded acres of timber land in North Spur territory. They have five years to remove the timber. The timber cut, taken to the mill and sold down to Hickman. The land sold for \$1.25 an acre. In eight years ago. The timber has cut over the last few years and made a profit. When cleared this land will be into several valuable trees. Mo. Courier.

-Turfgrass Cultivators at \$10
net. Hickman Hwe Co., Inc.



I carry at all times a complete line of furniture of all kinds—**Rockers, Mattresses, Springs, cots**
Sewing **Machines** at special prices.
Picture framing a specialty. Complete line
of Caskets and Burial Robes. Hearse furnished
when wanted.

experiments over the place.

I realized fully the conditions four years ago when I devised the plan of the American Society of Equity and intended it when established, to strengthen congress, legislatures, presidents, and all who sincerely want to help the common people in their demand for equity. It was my purpose to build a mighty machine of the farmers and their friends. This machine will take the energy of the hundreds of writers and instead of allowing it to waste, like the waters of Niagara, we will confine it in carefully prepared channels, and direct it against all inequity and all inequality. The

Or, through this engine of accomplishment, we will direct the great volume of steam generated in the enormous boiler referred to, so that the steam will turn its wheels, the machine will work and run on forever giving blessings to all mankind.

The African Society of Equity is the first machine of this kind ever proposed. Do you agree with me that such a machine or organisation is necessary? Will you not admit, in the light of past experiences, that it is useless to wait on congress, legislatures, the organised classes which have been exploiting you, or even on Providence for your salvation? Does it not appear to you that the surest and quickest way to accomplish reforms for the people is through the people themselves—the people organized?

If our government was intended to be, and has been, in times past, a government of the people, by the people and for the people, how can we rescue it from greedy exploiters and deliver it again to the people? You can only do this by organizing the people and making them a power. I do not mean to organise them into this or that political party, neither

need the American Society of Equity have any political significance, but the reforms can be accomplished through a social and industrial organization. Such an organization will not depend upon the fortunes of politics, but no matter what political party is in power its demands for equity will be heard and granted. Give me the American Society of Equity organized and I will accomplish more of real good for the masses than Roosevelt, Bryan or Hearst can accomplish in twenty years.

If these things are true, and I appeal to any fair-minded, intelligent American citizen to decide whether they are not true, then we can begin to realize the goal of the American Society of Equity, and that is, to have such an organization along lines such as I have outlined, a society that gives to farmers all they need in business and at the same time by the use of the law to give them strength numerically and industrially, can quickly accomplish all the reforms the people of all classes are asking for. These reforms will not come about in any other way or come about in any other manner. Each individual may as well understand that he or she has no choice. It is either to accept salvation through the American Society of Equity or

regional station altogether. Organizers of the Society of Equity should thoroughly understand the position this society will occupy and what it is capable of accomplishing. Then they will not appeal to any man or woman in vain. Whether the individual trades more profit in business, under certain conditions, more certainly industrially or poorer politically, this society will give them the answer. The completion of the American Society of Equity means the solution of all the following vexatious problems. They will be solved in equity to the people and the institutions.

Steady, uniform and profitable prices for farm products will prevail. The end of speculation in farm products will be at hand. The farmer's income will be enlarged. Elevators, warehouses, cold storage houses, etc., will belong to, or be controlled by the producers. Unnecessary "middle men" will be removed, guaranteeing lower prices to the consumers and steady values. Adulteration of food will end. This alone will increase the benefits from new discoveries in the field, from improved machines and from the utilization of waste products instead of their being applied to the land. The farmer will control production as well as marketing. Child labor will cease on the farm as it has in the factories. Boys will stay on the farms. Farming will be a career. Higher intelligence will pervade rural communities. Protection will be given farmers from the products of cheap labor in foreign countries. The farmer's land will be safe. Good roads can quickly be built all

over the country. Parcels post, postal currency, and postal savings banks can quickly be secured if they are wanted. Honest insurance and life banking will be among the things desired and obtainable. The trusts will find most of the present day uncertainties removed and business failures will be almost unknown. In accomplishing all these things no war will be waged against any trust, institution or the government. The only demand will be for equity. There will be no class or corporation that will go on record as opposed to receiving equity and saving equity?

Tobacco growers organized on the plan of the American Society of Equity. They compelled the tobacco trust (one of the most powerful, and has been claimed, most soulless in the world) to be decent and give equity. The trust is still in business and the farmers are glad to do business with it on their (the farmers) own terms. Thus, instead of trying to bust the trust the American Society of Equity will tame them and make use of their fine machinery to serve the people in fairness and equity, as they should.

Then the government will become good and strong and able to cope with all its problems, because compelled to by the people, through their own organization. Then the people will be the sovereigns and the government will be returned to them. Hasten the completion of the American Society of Equity and its blessings will pervade the country for every people and for every industry.

For Catarrh, let me send you free, just to prove merit, a Trial size box of Dr. Shoop's Catarrh Remedy. It is a snow white, creamy, healing antiseptic balm that gives instant relief to catarrh of the nose and throat. Make the free test and see. Address Dr. Shoop, Racine, Wis. Large Jar.

Through the columns of the Courier upon several occasions heretofore, has appeared accounts of the sanitary condition of the county jail as reported to the court by the grand jury, but never before have we made mention of the improvements from personal observation. This week the improvements that Uncle Joe noticed were made during his term of office were shown to us by that gentleman. Everything around the jail is in perfect sanitary condition. New outhouses have been built in recent years for convenience, and it is needless to say that Uncle Joe is responsible for a greater part of the same. He takes pride in the surroundings and is pleased when notice is taken of his care.

Say, old fellow, did you know that you should take your home paper? If the Courier is not your home paper come in and we will send for the paper you want.

The Enterprise, of Obion, Tenn., one of the best papers that reaches our exchange table, came out last week under a new management. The paper is now controlled by Rooks Bros., of Humboldt, Tenn., and is edited by C. W. Rooks and Frank Lee. Here's our best wishes to the new management.

Alabama has a town called Getup. It is not known whether the place got its name from some mule driver or from the call of some daddy to a lazy son. But Getup is somewhat slower than its name would imply for it is better known because of its name than from any other market fact.

Cherry Frappe. Ever try it. It truly is a cup of cheer. Our ice cream is the best in town—fresh, rich and luscious.

town—fresh, rich and delicious, and our freshly preserved cherries—well—you'll like the combination, we know.

G. B. Terrett and W. T. Johnson brought to Hickman Tuesday morning from No. 8 island, Charles Stotes, a negro, for killing another negro, Jordan Newberry who was a negro preacher. Stotes never attempted to escape but demonstration was made by other negroes to kill him, and he was brought to Hickman and put in jail. The circumstance leading to the tragedy, as told a Courier reporter by the negro who did the killing, were substantially as follows:

Stated in a tent on the Island and on Saturday last was gone from the tent all day, leaving the preacher there. Returning, he asked him where his gun was. Reply was made that he did not know. He asked if anyone else had been there and was told there had not, whereupon Stated said (the preacher) "You must know where the gun is." One word led to another, and by this time the preacher showed that he wanted to fight, and during the parley the preacher cut him below the neck with a knife. This happened Saturday and no more demonstration was made until Monday morning.

ing about sunrise, when the preacher went to Stotes' tent with an axe, and told him he was going to kill him. He struck at him with the axe, but together with the curtain of the tent, and an effort on his part, Stoteswarded off the force of the blow, but it hit him in the head, felling him to his knees, whereupon a negro boy also struck him in the head, with some object. Grasping the preacher he felt a knife in his pocket which he took away from him and killed him with it. Death did not occur instantly, but he died about sunset Monday.

The negro was badly cut and
beat in the face.

At his examining trial, Wednesday, he was found guilty of voluntary man-slaughter and bound over to await the action of the next term of circuit court. His bond was fixed at \$400.

Later—Two other negroes appeared at the examining trial and swore that Stotes did not take the knife away from the preacher, but that he had the knife on his own person.

Will pay highest
market price in cash
for poultry of all
kinds, at all times.

Thursday evening, June 6th, the Commencement exercises of the Senior Class will be held at the City Hall. The Senior Class this year has never been surpassed in number and is one of the strongest classes ever graduated from Hickman College. All are invited to attend these exercises.

The Courier has received a no rate for the Daily Louisville Herald. When it is taken in connection with the Courier, the two papers will cost \$2.50. You cannot get good reading matter any cheaper.

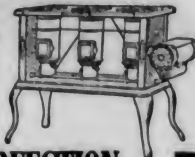
W. J. Bryan makes the Steel Trust the central figure in his monthly discussion of national affairs with Senator Beveridge and shows that the profits of the trust are greater than the total amount paid out in wages. He suggests revision of the tariff as the remedy, and urges that the President should not confine his attentions to one trust only.

H. E. Wallace, one of the best photographers in this part of the world, was in Hickman last Friday doing some work for the owner of the famous Hickman stables, R. A. Tyler.—Union City Commercial.

Restorative

A Summer Vacation in Your Kitchen

Don't swelter this summer with the temperature at 110. Get a New Perfection Wick Blue Flame Oil Cook-Stove and have a cool kitchen. The



NEW PERFECTION Wick Blue Flame Oil Cook-Stove

produces a working flame instantly. Blue flame means highly concentrated heat, no soot, no dirt. Oil is always at a maintained level, ensuring a uniform flame. Made in three sizes. Every stove warranted. If not at your dealer's write to our nearest agency for descriptive circular.



The **Rayo Lamp** is the best lamp for all-round household use. Made of brass throughout and beautifully nickel-plated. Perfectly constructed, absolutely safe, unexcelled in light-giving power; an ornament to any room. Every lamp warranted. If not at your dealer's write to our nearest agency.

STANDARD OIL COMPANY, INCORPORATED

The army worms are so thick in the woods between Campbell and Nimmons, Ark., on the St. Louis, Kennett & Southeastern railway as to stop the trains from running. The rails are literally covered from a half to an inch with the worms and when the wheels mash them it puts the track in such condition that it is impossible for the engine to pull the cars. It is worse than roasting the track. The people in the bottom call them caterpillars and say they are destroying the timber by eating the leaves and buds. It is a fright to watch them destroy vegetation, especially meadows and wheatfields. —Campbell Citizen.

FOR SALE

OR RENT

Residence on the hill.
Well located
W. S. ELLISON

Brown or Yellow Sugar.

The pure food law threatens to cause a revolution in the use of sugar and we are to go back to the style to which our grandfathers were so accustomed before the pure white granulated sugar was known. Some of this generation has not the time when the snow-white and blue-white sugar was not in use, and they will be surprised to learn that the process that gives us this beautiful sugar is really a form of adulteration, rather mineral "bluing." The pure food commission of this country has declared that no more of this bluing, or adulteration can be used in bleaching sugar to a white turn. Just think of the pink tea, putting blocks or squares of brown or yellow sugar in tea, coffee and chocolate.

—Before buying, let us show you our line.—Hickman Furniture Co., Incorporated.

Lee Line Boats

SCHEDULE TIME AT HICKMAN



St. Louis to Memphis: Weather Lee, Wednesday 5 p.m. Ford Herold, Saturday 5 p.m.
Memphis to St. Louis: Weather Lee, Saturday Night 12:30 Ford Herold, Tuesday Night 12:30
Chattanooga to Memphis: Peters Lee and George Lee, Boat down Saturday night and up Wednesday night
Memphis to Chattanooga: George Lee, Boat down Friday night and up Thursday night
J. H. HUMPHREY, AGT.

N. C. & St. L. R. R.

SCHEDULE TIME AT HICKMAN

No. 6. Mail and Express arrives. 7:30 a.m.
No. 6. Mail and Express leaves. 8:30 a.m.
No. 6. Accommodation arrives. 10:30 a.m.
No. 6. Accommodation leaves. 11:30 a.m.
No. 6. Mail and Express arrives. 1:30 p.m.
No. 6. Mail and Express leaves. 2:30 p.m.
No. 6. Accommodation arrives. 4:30 p.m.
No. 6. Accommodation leaves. 5:30 p.m.
R. B. JOHNSON, AGT.

Married Monday Night.

The home of Mr. and Mrs. E. L. King, of this city, was the scene of a happy event Monday night, the occasion being the marriage of Miss Addie Pearl King, one of Hickman's most charming and accomplished young ladies, to Mr. Side M. Naifeh.

The ceremony was performed in the presence of a large number of friends and relatives of the contracting parties, by Rev. E. L. Watson, of Union City, at 9 o'clock. In keeping with the occasion, the home was beautifully decorated, and the ceremony was beautiful and impressive. Following the ceremony the guests were ushered into the dining room where an elegant luncheon was served.

The bride is a daughter of Mrs. Mittle King, who resides three miles from our city. She is universally loved and admired by all who know her.



Judge M. Naifeh

Mr. Naifeh is of the firm of the Naifeh Brothers Dry Goods Co., and is so well and favorably known that any eulogy on us would be a waste of words. He is a native of Judit, Marjauan, Syria. He came to Hickman two years ago, from Camden, Tenn., and embarked in the dry goods business, and the firm has continued to grow from that date in popularity.

After the wedding, Mr. and Mrs. Naifeh boarded the 10:30 train for Jamestown. From Jamestown they go to Washington, Niagara Falls, New York and other points. They will be at home in Hickman after June 20th.

The Courier joins their many friends in wishing them a life of peace and happiness.

—The Hickman Furniture Co. (Inc.) keep an experienced undertaker in their store at all times and night calls will be promptly answered. Telephone No. 20.

A Painful Accident.

Friday afternoon last week, while helping to remove some limbs from a tree at the rear of the Methodist Church, H. L. Amberg in some manner, which neither he nor those in his company can explain, lost his equilibrium and fell backwards, his weight falling in such a way on his left ankle as to break or fracture that member. The pain sustained was a painful one, but perhaps not serious. It will be sometime before he will be able to walk without the use of a crutch.

—The Hickman Furniture Co. (Inc.) have the largest stock of Undertakers goods in Western Kentucky that can be fitted up at all times on short notice. Telephone number 20.

Col. George V. Green, of Hopkinsville, Saturday tendered his resignation as prison commissioner, and Gov. Beckham appointed Finley E. Fogg, of Morgan county, as his successor. His term of office would have expired next January.

Hickmanites will be given an opportunity to attend the "Nichel Odeon," at the City Hall next week. The show will arrive Monday.

Let Cotton & Adams do the valley and gutter work on your building.

IT COSTS YOU NOTHING

to try

RU-MA-GO

If it does not

Relieve Rheumatism

You can buy the first bottle on an absolute guarantee to have your money refunded if you are not satisfied. It's proved steady. Ninety-nine out of every hundred cured. Sold by

T. T. SWAYNE

Farmers Look!

On account of the army worms devastating the hay crop, the efforts made by you to raise a large hay crop and your failure to do so, we have decided to procure for you, at COST TO US laid down in Hickman, all the Whippoorwill PEAS you want to plant. Ask about them



HICKMAN HDW. COMPANY

INC.

Missionary Conference.

The annual meeting of the Woman's Missionary Conference of the Memphis Conference will convene in Hickman on June 11th. The opening sermon on Tuesday night, June 11th, by Rev. Lewis Powell, of Memphis. They will remain in session three days and more than 100 women workers are expected to attend.

A new line of Neckwear just in. See it.—Bradley & Parham.

Mrs. J. H. Harper.

The following, in regard to the death of Mrs. J. H. Harper, who died recently, is taken from the Las Vegas, N. M., News. The lady was a daughter-in-law of Mrs. M. L. Harper, of Route Three, out of Hickman.

Mrs. Bertha Forst Harper died this morning at her home at the corner of Main and Eighth streets in this city at 6:45, after a long and valiant struggle with pulmonary tuberculosis.

She was the wife of J. H. Harper, the local representative of the Singer Sewing Machine company, and was 37 years of age and a native of Kentucky. Beside her husband, she is survived by five children, Charles, George, Carrie, Mattie, and Pearl, eldest being 17, and the youngest but 7 years of age. In this great loss of an affectionate and dutiful wife and mother the sympathy of a large number of friends goes out to the family in this sorrowful hour.

Mrs. Harper came to this city six years ago with the family to derive the benefit of the climate here, and left after a short time apparently well. Nine months ago she again returned to Las Vegas in search of health, but the disease had this time made too great inroads and she succumbed to the inevitable this morning.

Mrs. Harper was a member of the Baptist church and the funeral will take place from there tomorrow morning at 10:30 o'clock conducted by Rev. W. H. Van Valkenburgh.

—Gasoline for sale at the Courier Office.

Church Notice.

Preaching at the Methodist Church every Sunday at 11 a. m., and 8:00 p. m. Sunday School 9:30 a. m. Prayer meeting at 8 p. m., on Wednesday. You are cordially invited to these services.

Make your absent friend a present of the Hickman-Courier for three months—only 25c.

Boys, Look Here!

Small boys have been frequenting my premises, and playing around my lake. I am fearful lest some of them will be drowned, and all boys are hereby warned to stay off of my premises or they will be fined \$5.00 for each trespass here after. Take warning. D. B. WILSON.

Mrs. Linnie Meadows, wife of W. W. Meadows, of Fulton, has brought suit for absolute divorce, the custody of her thirteen-year-old daughter, and alimony to the amount of \$20,000. Cruel and inhuman treatment and settled aversion is the plea of the petition. Mr. Meadows is a very prominent citizen of Fulton. Fulton advises say that Mr. Meadows will not give out a statement as to whether or not he will answer the petition.

—We are sales agents for New Departure and Capt. Kidd Cultivators. Hickman Hardware Co., Inc.

An occurrence of an unusual nature occurred recently. One thousand employees of the Elgin, Joliet & Eastern and the Chicago, Lake Shore & Eastern railroads, owned by the United States Steel corporation, were surprised to find, when they opened their pay envelopes, that their wages had been increased from the first of the month previous. The increase means to the employees a sum equal to \$55,000 a year.

—When in need of gasoline come to the Courier Office.

Wanted to Advertise.

A German farmer who has come and wanted to advertise in the editor asked him what he would say. "You put in a lot of paper," replied the man. "One night I was under duty about a week ago and I heard a noise in the middle of the day yard. I went out and found the door was open. I saw, I found that my pig pen was there he was tied down and running with her stable off. When I caught him back shall pay him \$1000 a yard."

The sprinkling season is now. Get a good hose, nozzle, etc. now. Cotton & Adams have them up.

Every one who can read the Jamestown Exposition, which was carried with it so much interest as that of Jamestown. It was there that civil liberty was born on American soil. It drew all the romantic people around the founding of America. No other in all the long history in simple pathos and power told the story of how the fathers thought nothing of their interests, comfort and sense of justice, ground out own great republic.

—Who? Where? What? When? Shaw & Bettersworth's, in fact, the freshest line of goods ever brought to town. All the time.



Don't Suffer all night long from toothache neuralgia or rheumatism
Sloan's Liniment
kills the pain — quiets the nerves and induces sleep
At all dealers. Price 25c 50c & 1.00
Dr. Earl S. Sloan, Boston, Mass. U.S.A.

...Announcement...

C. D. Bourkard & Son, Chicago,
Interior Decorators, Frescoes, Designers

will announce that during the next 10 days they will be a team to submit designs, sketches and estimates upon interior wall fresco, to the people of Hickman and vicinity.

Wall fresco is superior to wall paper for many reasons:
FIRST Wall fresco is not a paper, but paint and can be in any color desired and applied by our specialist.

SECOND: We consult the customer's taste and make the most scheme and ornamentation accordingly, which makes every room exclusive and inimitable.

THIRD: We never use same decoration twice.

FOURTH: Wall fresco is hand painted, according to our special designs made according to size and shape of room, in any style of ornamentation or color desired.

It takes but a look at our sketches to convince you that wall fresco is superior to any other wall decoration.

Address Box 174, Hickman, Ky., and Mr. Bourkard will call and show you his sketches, or inquire at Courier office.

Local Notes

Telephone No. 48 for coal.

Saturday is Swappin' Day.
We sell dry batteries.—Cotton & Adams.

—Telephone No. 20 for the Undertaker.

Fred Nolen was in Union City Sunday evening.

—Cavitt's on the hill is the only place for fresh groceries.

—Hickman Furniture Co., Inc., for everything in furniture.

—Hickman Furniture Co. (Inc) Undertakers. Telephone No. 20.

Boys' Knickerbocker Pants, 6 to 16 years, at Bradley & Parham's.

—Tongueless Cultivators at \$10 each. Hickman Howe Co., Inc.

See our line of Fancy Vests. The sweetest yet.—Bradley & Parham.

Mr. N. J. Hill, of Fulton, was in town Sunday, visiting his nephew, J. W. Roney.

—The Hickman Furniture Co., Inc., for coffins and caskets, telephone No. 20.

—Heim & Ellison's Drug Store will be open all day every Sunday in the future.

Guy Hale and Lee Baltzer are said to have been preambulating in Union City, Sunday afternoon.

From Fulton Leader: Miss Beulah Brooks was here last night en route from Clinton to Hickman.

—The best in two ways—Cavitt pays highest price for produce and sells freshest groceries cheap.

Brady Sanders was here from Caruthersville, this week, shaking hands with his old Hickman friends.

Sam Luten and J. T. Seal returned Monday from Dawson Springs, where they have been for several days.

Mr. and Mrs. W. F. Montgomery spent Sunday in the country, the guests of Mr. and Mrs. William Parham.

—The Hickman Furniture Co., Inc., keeps an undertaker in the building both day and night. Telephone No. 20.

Bill Walker, colored, was before Judge Naylor Wednesday morning on the charge of breach of the peace. He pleaded guilty and was fined \$5 and costs.

Miss Blanch Townsend, of Fulton, and Mike Jones, of Mayfield, were married at that place, Saturday last by Ed. Futrell.

Mrs. Mary Anderson and daughter, Miss Anna, have been visiting relatives in Hickman the past week. They leave today for their home in Charleston, Mo.

Come in and get the Courier's rate on metropolitan papers. We can save you money when used in connection with the Courier—and you ought to have the Courier.

Rev. L. D. Summers, of Greenfield, Tenn., has been called to the pastorate of the Baptist church at this place. He preaches two Sundays in each month—the third and fourth.

The Hickman base ball team played the Union City team at Union City Tuesday and won the game by the score of 12 to 7. The feature of the game was the pitching of Richards. He struck out seventeen men.

J. A. Bennett, who is running the La Cade hotel, tells us that he will close this establishment on June 1. He will move back to Fulton, his former home. The hotel will be reopened in a short time by two gentlemen from Tennessee, if we are correctly informed.

Mr. T. C. Berry, of Memphis, was in town Saturday. He told the Courier that he would move his family back to Woodland about June first. He lives in Memphis until about the first of June, then stays at his Woodland Mills home during the summer.

Mr. Bourkard is frescoing the parlor and reception hall in the home of R. T. Tyler, this week. Last week he finished a similar job in the Episcopal church of this city, which is greatly admired by all who have seen it. Mr. Bourkard is an artist in his line.

Mrs. Eugene Naylor and little daughter, of Hickman, Ky., and Mrs. Paul Davis and little son Billie, of Cairo, arrived in the city last Friday, and were guests during a few days at the home of Mrs. Davis. Mrs. Naylor and Mrs. Paul Davis are sisters. On Sunday Mr. Davis joined his wife and child here. Mrs. Naylor expects to move to this city within a short time, Gene having secured a residence property.—East Prairie Eagle.

Courier Want Column

FOR RENT—Two nice rooms. BURNETT HUGHES.

FOR SALE—A good milk cow. Apply to—N. J. Corum. 52

FOR SALE CHEAP. Two store counters.—W. F. Montgomery. 471

FOR RENT—House with six rooms in heart of town, \$10 a month. Apply at Courier office. 51

LOST—on May 25, pair of gold framed spectacles. Reward if returned to George Edmonds. 52

HOGS FOR SALE. Brood sows, old and young, good stock. Also one red male.—JNO. D. MAYES, R. R. 53

STRAYED—from my place in Hickman on Sunday 19th. a mouse colored mule. Return for reward to Green Keys. 51-1

WANTED—Laborers on trench. Twelve months work. The E. H. ASADIE CO. Tyler Building, Louisville, Ky. 53

Use Red Band Pure Scotch Snuff 3

—The Undertaker at the Farmer's Hardware Co., will answer your calls promptly, day or night.

Remnants!

After the big sale, we find that we have a large number of remnants—all nice goods which are suitable for a variety of purposes—and we will close them out dirt cheap. They will go in a hurry at these prices:

Calico remnants in calico pieces from 2 to 8 yards 4c

Ginghams remnants, pretty patterns, 2 to 5 yds. at 5c

Lawns remnants in assorted sizes and worth double the price 6c

Small pieces of Woolen Dress Goods and Silks corresponding low prices.

Since the big sale, we have received a nice new line of Dress Goods of all kinds, especially the cool kind. Call and see them and get prices.

Naifeh Bros. D. G. Co.

Hickman, Kentucky.

Enjoy It

What? Your Soda, of course. What else could be meant. All our drinks are ice cold, sparkling and refreshing. Be cool and you'll be happy. Drink our Raspberry Ice Cream Soda. 5c.

HELM & ELLISON

—Fresh groceries at Cavitt's. 2
Walter Belling left Thursday for St. Louis.

John Cotton took in the sights in Union City, Sunday.

—Just received a large line of baby go-carts—Hickman Furn. Co. Inc.

—Helm & Ellison's Drug Store will be open all day every Sunday in the future.

Hickman's leading undertaker at the Farmers' Hardware Company Incorporated.

C. S. Patterson subscribes for the Courier for his brother, J. R. Patterson, at Moran, Tex.

Don't forget that we have everything you want in men's furnishings and shoes. Our stock is complete at all times. Bradley & Parham.

Hickman needs an ordinance prohibiting people from spitting on the sidewalk. We have heard more than one lady complain of this nuisance.

Mrs. Prather Curlin and little son, of Hickman, were in the city last week, visiting Mrs. W. E. Scates, Mrs. B. F. Beckham and Miss Lizzie Tams.—Union City Commercial.

Mrs. Jackson, of DeQueen, Ark., has been visiting her mother, Mrs. Cavitt, on Troy Avenue. She was joined by her husband this week, and they will go to the Jamestown Exposition. From there they will go to New York and other places of interest.

We noticed the following out-of-town visitors here to attend the Naifeh-King wedding: Miss Lillian Holland, of Maben, Miss; Mrs. Anna Jackson, Memphis, Tenn.; Mr. and Mrs. Jas. Jackson, Clinton, Ky.; K. Homr, Fulton Ky; Alex. Khorie, Fulton, Ky.

Red Band Pure Scotch Snuff. 3

Frank McCracken was in Cairo, Monday.

"Just like sitting down at mother's table" Elite Cafe.

Red Band Pure Scotch Snuff is the highest grade snuff. 3

See our line of Suit Cases, from \$1 to \$10.—Bradley & Parham.

Arthur Townsend, of East Prairie, is visiting his parents, on route one.

—The house of quality is the right place to buy coffins and caskets.

Walking canes for old gentlemen and young men at Bradley & Parham's.

—See the Hickman Furniture Co. (Inc.) line of suites and rockers before buying your spring furniture.

Miss Lillie Holland and Helen Rice have returned from a visit at Miss Holland's home in Maben, Miss.

The most complete line of men's furnishing goods in Hickman—clean, fresh and up-to-date.—Bradley & Parham.

Miss Maude Moore, Mrs. Ford, Sam West and Percy Jones were the members of a pleasant little fishing party, Tuesday.

Lacy Richards left Wednesday morning for his home in Colton, Calif. Lacy is very popular here and his departure is very much regretted by his friends.

The Hickman Ice and Coal Co. has commenced tearing out the boilers and furnace in the building adjoining the new plant and will convert it into a stable for its delivery teams.

Those who are to take part in the Alumni Association reception, are requested to meet at the home of Mrs. W. A. Dodds at 8 p. m., tonight (Friday). Also, hand your dues to Miss Annie Ellison or Miss Bettie DeBow at your earliest convenience.

15 to 20 per cent

On your investment!

We offer some improved city property that will pay you well.

If you wish to invest \$500 or more, SEE US.

W. S. Ellison

You Can "Do The Best" Here....

EVERYBODY trades where they think they can "DO THE BEST"—that is, where they can find the largest assortment, the most reliable merchandise, the lowest prices and the most courteous treatment.

WE WANT YOU to come in and get acquainted with our business methods, and if YOU DON'T THINK you can "Do the Best" here, we will gladly excuse you.



GEISECKE'S GEESSE

They're gazing with glee
At the egg, you can see,
Of a beautiful golden hue;
As proud of the job
As a farmer, be glib!
Who's wearing a Giesecke Shoe.

The "Giesecke" Shoe

It worn by the Farmer, the Merchant, the Banker, the Laborer, the Mechanic, the Politician, and men in all walks of life. The Giesecke shoe is a good shoe

At a Popular Price!

E. C. RICE & CO.

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